

**Announcements**  
**Springdale Mennonite Church**  
**April 14, 2019**

Please pray for Ethan, Tara and Baby Wall (urinary system issues in the baby); Kim Powell (recovering from gamma knife surgery this past Friday); Russ Laub's mother, Jean (dealing with a fairly serious medical issue); and Ben Showalter (coming back to the U.S. in May!).

**Focus Statement for Palm Sunday:** *“When our shouts of joy turn to derision and rejection, even in our anguish God’s steadfast love endures forever. We are called to follow Jesus.”*

You are invited to help **sing at Augusta Health** today, 4 p.m., in the hospital atrium.

Don't miss the **Primary Department-sponsored Fundraising Meal and Program** this evening at 5:00! Come enjoy delicious pulled pork made by Danny Showalter (along with a variety of side dishes) and a short program by the children (music and skits).

Nancy Stoll will be **in the office** this week on Monday, Tuesday & Thursday.

A great big **thank-you** to all who donated and/or helped in any way with the recent **Yard / Bake Sale fundraiser** sponsored by the Primary Department to benefit missions! Proceeds totaled an amazing \$2,640.50!! Thanks especially to Martha Laub for heading up the yard sale and to Sharon Shenk for overseeing the bake sale.

**Men's Coffee & Conversation** will be held this Tues., April 16, 8:30 a.m., at Pastor Kevin's home.

**Good Friday / Easter:** You are invited to our Good Friday Service (this Fri., April 19, 7 p.m.); and to the following events next Sun., April 21 -- Sunrise Service (6:15 a.m.); Continental Breakfast (8:45 a.m.); No Sunday School; & Worship Celebration & Flowering the Cross (10 a.m.). *Please sign up in the foyer to help provide breakfast items; please bring flowers for the cross; and use your Easter outreach cards to invite your friends & neighbors (copies are available in the foyer)!*

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A **bake sale** to benefit Shawn & Laura Green's ministry in Italy will be held on Sat., May 4, at the Cheese Shop. Your contributions of baked goods will be very appreciated! Talk to Marian Mininger with questions.

Ladies - mark your calendars for a **Breakfast Bridal Shower** for Rachel Shenk on Sat., May 18, 9:30 a.m., at Springdale!

Brenda Holliday has chosen to step down from her role as the **flower bed coordinator**. She has done a remarkable job keeping the beds beautiful over the past number of years! Finance & Facilities Commission would like to thank her publicly for all of her hard work! We encourage you to thank her as well! That said, we are now in need of someone to take on the role of maintaining the flower beds. This is a paid position, obviously primarily needed spring through fall. If you have potential interest in filling this role, talk with Steve Mumbauer, Finance & Facilities Coord.

A **WARM Volunteer Appreciation Dinner** will be held on April 25, 6 p.m., at First Baptist Church. Please sign up in the foyer today!

If you would like to join Springdale's **group subscription to *The Mennonite*** (\$37-\$39 per year), please talk to Nancy Stoll by April 21. Copies can be reviewed in the church library.

**Last Sunday:**

Worship Attendance .....	81
Sunday School Attendance .....	41
Offering .....	\$3,350

**Info. on the Bulletin Board, in the Foyer or Under Mailboxes**

*(Check Springdale's website for a full list of Conference announcements.)*

- A thank-you note from Shalom Nuevo Comienzo church for the set of Conga drums Springdale donated to their fellowship.
- Redemptive Compassion classes offered through Love INC, beginning on April 29.
- ComfortCare's "Stride for Life," May 4, 8:30 a.m., Fishersville.
- Concert to benefit the local Salvation Army, May 14, 7 p.m., Wayne Theater.
- Love Crosses Borders, a Mennonite Men week-long immersion experience with immigrants, July 28-Aug. 3.
- Summer camp information from Highland Retreat.
- Anabaptist Heritage Tour with Myron/Esther Augsburg & Ed Bontrager, May of 2020.